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Modification History

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Release 1	This version released with RGR Racing and Breeding Training Package Version 2.0.

Application

This unit of competency describes the skills and knowledge required to operate a lure during greyhound race meetings and trials.

The unit applies to race club staff or others who are authorised to operate the greyhound lure during race meetings and trials in work environments of racing kennels, racecourses and public areas.

No occupational licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this unit at the time of publication.

Pre-requisite Unit

Nil

Unit Sector

Racing performance (ROP)

Elements and Performance Criteria

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<i>Elements describe the essential outcomes.</i>	<i>Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.</i>
1. Prepare for race meeting	1.1 Verify race fields and distance prior to commencement of race meeting 1.2 Identify and apply rules of racing, protocols and procedures relating to operation of lure 1.3 Perform pre-start check of lure equipment and power source 1.4 Check lure for safe and accurate operation prior to

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	commencement of race meeting 1.5 Identify hazards in operation of lure and apply techniques to minimise the risk of injury
2. Operate lure	2.1 Operate lure according to stewards' directions 2.2 Operate lure during stir-up according to the rules of racing and safe operating procedures 2.3 Operate lure and control speed during races and trials according to the rules of racing, animal welfare requirements and safe operating procedures 2.4 Perform emergency stop of lure due to incident or potential contact of lure with people or greyhounds 2.5 Stop lure at the end of a race within a safe and appropriate distance of catching pen
3. Shut down lure operations	3.1 Check lure equipment and power source for damage or maintenance requirements after last race or trial 3.2 Notify race club of maintenance or service requirements for lure and power supply 3.3 Shut off power supply, and pack and store lure equipment according to race club procedures

Foundation Skills

This section describes those language, literacy, numeracy and employment skills that are essential for performance in this unit of competency but are not explicit in the performance criteria.

Skill	Description
Reading	Interpret key information in workplace documentation, including rules of racing
Writing	Report incidents and problems using clear language and terminology in workplace formats
Numeracy	Perform basic calculations for measuring and checking track distances
Navigate the world of	Take personal responsibility for following explicit and implicit

Skill	Description
work	policies and procedures and rules of racing
Get the work done	• Make routine decisions and follow standard procedures for tasks, using formal decision-making processes • Respond promptly to emergencies or potential hazards • Use familiar digital technologies and systems to control, record and report problems with lure

Unit Mapping Information

Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status
RGRROP307 Perform duties of lure driver at race meetings and trials	RGRROP307A Perform duties of lure driver at race meetings and trials	Updated to meet Standards for Training Packages. Minor changes to performance criteria for clarity.	Equivalent unit

Links

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Performance Evidence

An individual demonstrating competency in this unit must satisfy all of the elements and performance criteria of this unit. There must be evidence that the individual has performed duties of lure driver at a minimum of three race meetings or trials, including for each:

- prepared for race meeting according to procedures, checking:
 - race fields and distances
 - lure operation
- operated the lure safely and effectively during a race meeting
- checked, shut down and reported maintenance required for lure at end of the race meeting
- complied with the relevant rules of racing, procedures and instructions for driving a lure at race meetings or trials.

Knowledge Evidence

An individual must be able to demonstrate the knowledge required to perform the tasks outlined in the elements and performance criteria of this unit. This includes knowledge of:

- rules of racing in relation to conduct of races or trials, operation of lures, and greyhound welfare
- lure equipment and operation procedures, including:
 - pre-start checks
 - shut down
 - emergency stop
 - maintenance
 - race day and trial procedures
- hazards associated with lure operation, and controls to minimise risk
- safe and appropriate race distances and individual track and catching pen characteristics
- racing industry and work health and safety requirements, including:
 - safe operating procedures
 - operating machinery

- working in confined spaces
- noise, emissions and environmental requirements
- greyhound racing industry animal welfare principles and guidelines
- greyhound behaviour relating to chasing prey or lure and racing with others
- race day communication protocols and procedures, including:
 - reporting lines
 - requirements for reporting for incidents, irregularities and problems
 - interactions with stewards, club officials and licensed personnel
 - written and verbal report formats.

Assessment Conditions

Assessment of skills must take place under the following conditions:

- physical conditions:
 - safe handling and lure operation facilities, such as training and racetracks and a variety of greyhound fields
- resources, equipment and materials:
 - materials and equipment relevant to assessing individual's ability to perform lure driver duties
 - lure and lure equipment
- specifications:
 - work instructions and related documentation.

Assessors of this unit must satisfy the requirements for assessors in applicable vocational education and training legislation, frameworks and/or standards.

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